



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Yu-Wen Hu

Serial No.: 09/782,361

Filed: February 13, 2001

For: PRIMER-SPECIFIC AND MISPAIR
EXTENSION ASSAY FOR IDENTIFYING
GENE VARIATION

Confirmation No.: 1070

Examiner: T. Strzelecka

Group Art Unit: 1637

Attorney Docket No.: 2883-4757US

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence along with any attachments referred to or identified as being attached or enclosed is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail on the date of deposit shown below with sufficient postage and in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

March 24, 2004
Date

Leah J. Barrow
Name (Type/Print)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed January 28, 2004, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

Appendix A, including (a) drawing replacement sheet and drawing annotated sheet, is attached hereto.

AF/1637

Image

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box →

PTO/SB/21 (08-00)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

TRANSMITTAL FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

Application Number	09/782,361
Filing Date	February 13, 2001
First Named Inventor	Yu-Wen Hu
Group Art Unit	1637
Examiner Name	T. Strzelecka
Attorney Docket Number	2883-4757US

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Postcard receipt acknowledgment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Duplicate copy of this transmittal sheet in the event that additional filing fees are required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Restriction Requirement/Election of Species Requirement dated <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment in response to office action dated <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in response to final office action dated January 28, 2004 with Appendix A including drawing replacement sheet and annotated drawing sheet showing changes <input type="checkbox"/> Additional claims fee - Check No. in the amount of \$ <input type="checkbox"/> Letter to Chief Draftsman and copy of FIGS. with changes made in red <input type="checkbox"/> Transmittal of Formal Drawings <input type="checkbox"/> Formal Drawings (sheets)	<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A (08-00); <input type="checkbox"/> copy of cited references <input type="checkbox"/> Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; PTO/SB/08A (08-00); copy of cited references and Check No. in the amount of \$180.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Associate Power of Attorney <input type="checkbox"/> Petition for Extension of Time and Check No. in the amount of \$ <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (for an Application)	<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) <i>(please identify below):</i>
	Remarks	The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees required but not submitted with any document or request requiring fee payment under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account 20-1469 during pendency of this application.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual name	Krista Weber Powell	Registration No. 47,867
Signature		
Date	March 24, 2004	

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.

Typed or printed name	Leah J. Barrow	Date	March 24, 2004
Signature			

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.